

1-1 By: Carona S.B. No. 1053  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 4, 2013; March 12, 2013, read  
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Transportation;  
 1-4 March 27, 2013, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 8,  
 1-5 Nays 0; March 27, 2013, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-7 Nichols	X			
1-8 Paxton	X			
1-9 Campbell	X			
1-10 Davis	X			
1-11 Ellis			X	
1-12 Hancock	X			
1-13 Patrick	X			
1-14 Uresti	X			
1-15 Watson	X			

1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to the content of a notice provided to an owner or  
 1-20 lienholder of a vehicle towed to a vehicle storage facility.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Subsection (a), Section 2303.153, Occupations  
 1-23 Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-24 (a) A notice by mail provided under Section 2303.151 must  
 1-25 include:

- 1-26 (1) the date the vehicle was accepted for storage;
- 1-27 (2) the first day for which a storage fee is assessed;
- 1-28 (3) the daily storage rate;
- 1-29 (4) the type and amount of any other charge to be paid  
 1-30 when the vehicle is claimed;

1-31 (5) the full name, street address, and telephone  
 1-32 number of the vehicle storage facility;

1-33 (6) the hours during which the owner may claim the  
 1-34 vehicle; and

1-35 (7) the facility license number preceded by "Texas  
 1-36 Department of Licensing and Regulation [~~Transportation~~] Vehicle  
 1-37 Storage Facility License Number[-]" or "TDLR VSF Lic. No."

1-38 SECTION 2. The changes in law made by this Act apply only to  
 1-39 a notice mailed on or after September 1, 2013. A notice mailed  
 1-40 before September 1, 2013, is governed by the law in effect  
 1-41 immediately before that date, and that law is continued in effect  
 1-42 for that purpose.

1-43 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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